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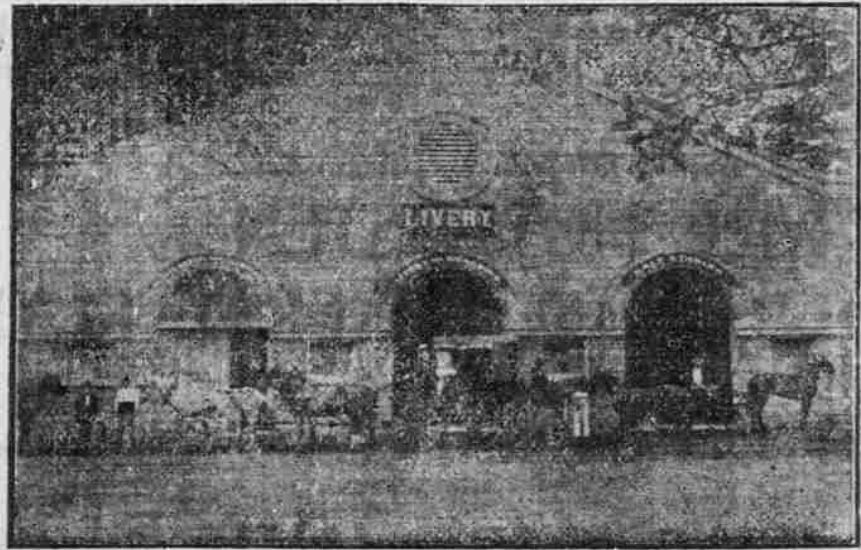
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GOATS STAND IN WAY OF DEVELOPMENT OF LANAI

Secretary Atkinson Talks of the Visit of Inspection to Two Small Islands--Kahoolawe is Wind Swept--Gigantic Water Scheme.

Lanai will never be of much value until the goats which are now overrunning the government lands are exterminated, is the opinion of the officials who returned from the island yesterday on the Iroquois, after a most thorough inspection. The members of the party spent three days on the island of Lanai, practically all of the time in the saddle. They also visited the island of Kahoolawe which is also said to be in need of considerable attention on the part of the government. Chas. Gay was reported by the members of the party to be spending thousands of dollars in the improvement of Lanai, mainly in bringing water to his ranch from Maunalei gulch.

"We left Honolulu on the Iroquois at six o'clock Wednesday morning," said Secretary A. L. C. Atkinson who went with the party as the representative of Governor Carter. "We landed at Manalo on Lanai at two o'clock in the afternoon, where we were met by Chas. Gay with horses. The same afternoon, we rode up to Koelo, Mr. Gay's place, inspecting the land on the way up. The next day we rode to the furthest northwest point of the island, and then along the coast to Anahua harbor. We came back to Koelo by way of Paomai. On Friday we rode to Puukukui where we could look down Maunalei gulch, which is practically the only source of water supply for the entire island. We came back from there at noon on Friday and then rode over the forest belt looking also at Palawai. We then went to Gibson's and back to Manalo where we again took the Iroquois. Friday night we spent at Lahaina and early Saturday morning embarked again for Kahoolawe where we spent all day Saturday. We were met there by Christian Conradt and rode over and saw the whole of the island. The government owns the island, and Mr. Conradt has leases for nine years, and may make some proposition to the government relative to these lands.

"The island is in a bad state and it will take a great deal of money to put it in any kind of shape. We were enveloped in a cloud of dust all the time we were there. The island is covered with red soil, which is being gradually blown away. There is just a little grass in a few spots and hardly a drop of water, except some muddy water at the bottom of an old crater. There are not half a dozen large trees although there is a tree, the paka, (which has a yellow flower, which is spreading in the protected valleys. Altogether there are about 5,000 sheep on the island, but they are not segregated, and the lambs are kept with the ewes. I simply looked at the property to see what can be done. There are 40,000 acres on which the leases expire in nine years."

WATER ON LANAI.

"The great trouble on Lanai," continued Secretary Atkinson, "is the lack of water. Mr. Gay is making tremendous efforts to get water to his land. He owns in fee simple the great portion of the island and has leases on the balance. The land of Kahoolawe will revert to the government in 1907. There are three beautiful pasture tracts, in the old basins of the craters. Mr. Gay is trying to bring the water over from Maunalei a distance of forty miles. It has to be pumped two thousand feet, and a six hundred foot pump is being installed. It will be run by windmill and gasoline power. Mr. Gay is spending a lot of money in improvements on the island. There was some talk some time ago of starting a sisal plantation on the island, but I doubt if it will ever be made a success. There is not enough water on Lanai to grow sisal.

"I also looked into the question of forest reservation. The forest belt is on government land, and also on a tract owned by W. G. Irwin. Of course no plan for forest preservation has been made as yet, but it will be a difficult problem. The great difficulty is going to be with the goats. There are from 15,000 to 25,000 goats on the island now, and they are thickest in the forest belt. It is hardly worth while to attempt to do anything until the upper levels are fenced in and the goats driven off. There are tremendous cliffs in that portion of the island and it is going to be an expensive proposition to exterminate the goats. Mr. Gay is willing to furnish anyone with a horse and a gun who wants to help get rid of them."

Secretary Atkinson will make a re-

port to the Governor today. Land Commissioner Boyd was also a member of the party, and the information obtained on the trip of the Iroquois will be used in the future disposition of the lands of Lanai and Kahoolawe.

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The party on the Maru is said to be the advance guard of a large colony which is to settle in Texas. A large tract of rice land has been obtained in that State, the price paid being a little over twenty dollars an acre, and the Japanese intend to grow rice on a large scale.

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